

John Quincy Adams to Andrew Jackson, February 19, 1823, from Correspondence of Andrew Jackson. Edited by John Spencer Bassett.

SECRETARY ADAMS TO JACKSON.

Department Of State, Washington, February 19, 1823.

Sir, I have the honor of transmitting to you, by direction of the President of the United States, a commission as Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to Mexico. Should this appointment meet your acceptance, the credential Letter and Instructions will be prepared in such time as it may suit your convenience to proceed upon the mission. Such arrangements with regard to the payment of the outfit will be made, as may be agreeable to you. Permit me to express my own hopes, that our Country may on this occasion have the benefit of your services, and to assure you of the high respect with which I am, Sir, your very humble and obedt. servt.